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## Summary Information

**Permit No:** F00050743 **Type of Permit:** FILMING **Release Date:** 03/30/2012

**Production Company** KUDIVILLE FILMS INC

**Insured Company Name** KUDIVILLE FILMS INC

Contact Phone No. 1 818-282-2545
Contact Phone No. 2
Fax
Address 25379 WAYNE MILLS PL, SUITE 391
VALENCIA, California 91355

**Production Title** TRUE INDIGO

**Type of Production** Commercial - PSA

**Producer** Henry Sanders

**Director** Kimberly Sanders

**1st AD** Jeffrey Robinson

**Production Manager** Mark Hieronimus

**FilmL.A. Coordinator** Tim Overbeck

**Location Manager** Kimberly D. Sanders
Primary Phone Mobile - 818-470-2521
Secondary Phone

**Location Assistant** Henry Sanders
Primary Phone Mobile - 818-470-4274
Secondary Phone

### Fees

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Notification Charge | $40.00 | **Total Permit Fee** | $90.00 |
| FILMLA MODIFIED PERMIT APPLICATION FEE | $50.00 | **Number of Locations** | 4 |

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**Location Address** E 4th St., Mateo St - S Anderson St, Los Angeles, CA, 90013

**Location Name** 4th ST BRIDGE

**Location Type** Bridge

**Film Dates** 4/2/2012 - 4/2/2012 07:00 - 22:00 1 day

**Open or Closed to the Public** Closed

**Generic Conditions**
All Vehicles must be parked legally.
May not interfere with adjacent traffic lanes
Must comply with attached conditions
Must Maintain 5' Clearance on Sidewalks/Walkways
Must maintain local/emergency access
No cast or crew parking on area streets
No interference with merchant activity
No interference with pedestrian traffic
No stopping or setting up in front of merchants or residents without prior approval
Number of uniformed officers listed on the permit is a minimum requirement. Permittee remains responsible for deploying a sufficient number of uniformed officers to provide traffic and crowd control to ensure the safety of the film crew and the public.
Traffic control must be done in accordance w/MUTCD
Traffic Officers Required

**Please see attached document** Arts District Guidelines Revised April 29 2009.pdf

**Equipment on Location**

| Type | Quantity |
|---|---|
| Camera cars | 1 |
| Cast/Crew vehicles | 2 |
| Picture vehicles | 2 |

**Personnel on Location**

| Type | Quantity |
|---|---|
| Cast | 3 |
| Crew | 15 |
| Off-Duty/Retired LAPD Officer(s) | 1 |

**Filming Activities** Camera in car; Camera on sticks; Car-to-Car; Drive by; Drive ups & away; Driving shots; Driving shots with the flow of traffic; Equipment on sidewalk only.; Handheld equipment; Precision driving (within or below posted speed limit only); SINGLE DIRECTION ITC - 2 MINUTE STANDARD;

**Jurisdiction** **Political:** Los Angeles City - Council District 14 **Police:** Los Angeles Police Department **Fire:** Los Angeles City

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**Approvals** LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT Melissa Hernandez

**Parking**
**Base Camp**
Location Type : Filming Location
**Crew Parking**
Location Type : Filming Location
**Parking Notes**
ALL CAST AND CREW VEHICLES MUST BE PARKED ON PRIVATE PROPERTY AT ALL TIMES

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**Location Address** 10 Frwy, 110 Freeway, 101 Frwy, Alameda St., Inclusive (Excluding Freeways), Los Angeles, CA, 90071

**Location Name** DOWNTOWN DRIVING GRID

**Location Type** Driving grid

**Location Description** Downtown Grid

**Film Dates** 4/2/2012 - 4/2/2012 15:00 - 23:00 1 day
4/6/2012 - 4/7/2012 18:00 - 07:00 2 days

**Open or Closed to the Public** Closed

**Generic Conditions**
All Vehicles must be parked legally.
Must comply with attached conditions
No cast or crew parking on area streets
No interference with merchant activity
No interference with vehicular or pedestrian traffic
No stopping and setting up in residential areas before 7am or after 10pm without prior approval
No stopping or setting up in front of merchants or residents without prior approval

**Please see attached document** Downtown Filming Guildelines 2010.03.01.pdf

**Equipment on Location**

| Type | Quantity |
|---|---|
| Cast/Crew vehicles | 1 |
| Picture vehicles | 1 |

**Personnel on Location**

| Type | Quantity |
|---|---|
| Cast | 4 |
| Crew | 10 |

**Filming Activities** Camera on sticks; Drive ups & away; Equipment on sidewalk & street;

**Jurisdiction** **Political:** Los Angeles City - Council District 09 **Police:** Los Angeles Police Department **Fire:** Los Angeles City

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**Location Notes** Must Comply with Attached Downtown Conditions

**Approvals** LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT Melissa Hernandez

**Coordinator Note** NO INTERFERING WITH OTHER PRODUCTION COMPANIES OR SPECIAL EVENTS

**Parking**

**Base Camp**
Location Type : Other Location
CRAZY GIDEON'S WAREHOUSE
1335 Willow St, Los Angeles, CA, 90013

**Crew Parking**
Location Type : Other Location
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**Location Manager** Kimberly D. Sanders
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Secondary Phone

**Location Address** ALAMEDA ST., 101 FWY., LA RIVER, 1ST ST. (INCLUSIVE, EXCLUDING LA RIVER AND FREEWAYS), LOS ANGELES, 90012

**Location Type** Driving grid

**Film Dates** 4/2/2012 - 4/2/2012 16:00 - 23:00 1 day
4/6/2012 - 4/7/2012 18:00 - 07:00 2 days

**Open or Closed to the Public** Closed

**Generic Conditions**
All Vehicles must be parked legally.
No cast or crew parking on area streets
No interference with merchant activity
No interference with vehicular or pedestrian traffic
No stopping and setting up in residential areas before 7am or after 10pm without prior approval
No stopping or setting up in front of merchants or residents without prior approval

**Equipment on Location**

| Type | Quantity |
|---|---|
| Cast/Crew vehicles | 1 |
| Picture vehicles | 1 |

**Personnel on Location**

| Type | Quantity |
|---|---|
| Cast | 4 |
| Crew | 10 |

**Filming Activities** Camera on sticks; Drive ups & away; Equipment on sidewalk & street;

**Jurisdiction** **Political:** Los Angeles City - Council District 09 **Police:** Los Angeles Police Department **Fire:** Los Angeles City

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**Approvals** LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT Melissa Hernandez

**Coordinator Note** NO INTERFERING WITH OTHER PRODUCTION COMPANIES OR SPECIAL EVENTS

**Parking**

**Base Camp**
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**Production Title** TRUE INDIGO

**Location Manager** Kimberly D. Sanders
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Secondary Phone

**Location Address** N Broadway, W Temple - S Ave 18, Los Angeles, CA, 90012

**Location Type** Street

**Film Dates** 4/2/2012 - 4/2/2012 18:00 - 07:00 1 day

**Open or Closed to the Public** Closed

**Generic Conditions**
All Vehicles must be parked legally.
Must comply with attached conditions
No cast or crew parking on area streets
No interference with merchant activity
No interference with vehicular or pedestrian traffic
No stopping and setting up in residential areas before 7am or after 10pm without prior approval
No stopping or setting up in front of merchants or residents without prior approval

**Please see attached documents**
Downtown Filming Guildelines 2010.03.01.pdf
Echo Park & Elysian Park Special Conditions.pdf

**Equipment on Location**

| Type | Quantity |
|---|---|
| Cast/Crew vehicles | 1 |
| Picture vehicles | 1 |

**Personnel on Location**

| Type | Quantity |
|---|---|
| Cast | 4 |
| Crew | 10 |

**Filming Activities** Camera on sticks; Drive ups & away; Driving shots with the flow of traffic; Equipment on sidewalk & street;

**Jurisdiction** **Political:** Los Angeles City - Council District 09 **Police:** Los Angeles Police Department **Fire:** Los Angeles City

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**Coordinator Note** NO INTERFERING WITH OTHER PRODUCTION COMPANIES OR SPECIAL EVENTS

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# SPECIAL FILMING CONDITIONS
# THE ARTS DISTRICT

The Special Film Conditions described below will be included in the terms and conditions of permits issued for filming in this area and are in addition to the standard terms and conditions applicable to filming permits generally. While these Special Filming Conditions will be included as terms if a permit for filming in this are is issued, they are not intended to, and do not, establish the criteria or standards for determining whether or not a particular permit(s) will be issued for this area. The decision whether or not a particular permit(s) will be issued is vested in the discretion of the appropriate City or County department or their designees (including FilmL.A.), to be exercised consistent with public health, safety and general welfare, and applicable land-use ordinances.

This is a mixed-use area that includes manufacturing facilities, warehouses, artists/artisans and residents. These Special Conditions apply to the area roughly between 1st Street and 7th Street and between Alameda Avenue and the LA River. Within the past ten years, this area has experienced an influx of permanent residents into what was predominantly a light to heavy manufacturing zone for over 75 years.

The motion picture industry has amicably co-existed with the businesses and residents of this area for decades and desires to continue to do so. These Conditions are designed to promote cooperation between film companies, local businesses and residents so that each group can effectively utilize this diverse area. Violation of any of the conditions as outlined below may result in permit revocation or other administrative action.

- Affected residents/merchants and businesses must be notified at least two days in advance of the first day of filming or the first day of any substantial set preparation for productions that:
  - Request parking restrictions on the following public streets: Traction Avenue, East 2nd Street (except Alameda Street to Garey Street), East 3rd Street, Vignes Street, Molino Street (Palmetto Street to 4th Street only)
  - Request a street closure
  - Involve any special effects, gunfire, audible playback, helicopter activity, or other disruptive activities
  - FilmL.A. or the production company shall consult a designated community representative when an applicant requests a permit with less than two days notice under the above circumstances
- Posting on more than one side of Traction Avenue, East 2nd Street (except Alameda to Garey), East 3rd Street (except Vignes to Santa Fe), Vignes Street, Molino from 4th Street to Palmetto, Hewitt from Palmetto to 4th Street, 4t Street from Colyton to Molino requires a notification to a designated person in the building where alternate parking is not provided. Posting on both sides of the above streets is allowed without signatures on Sundays.
- When "No Parking" signs are posted on both sides of Hewitt between 4th Street and Traction Avenue, Art Share (213-687-4278) and Bedlam (213-909-1512) must be notified.
- Posting for equipment and/or picture, other than the streets listed above, will be reviewed on a street by street basis and may not exceed 450 linear feet. Additional posting may be granted if there is a majority of support from affected residents/businesses/merchants, and indicated on the permit. After filming is completed, companies are requested, as a courtesy (only LADOT is to touch the posting signs), to turn all "No Parking" signs around so that they face the opposite direction.

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- Companies must provide adequate detour and directional signage when street closures are in place, conforming as much as possible to current LADOT standards and practices. Detour routes must accommodate large, semi and tractor trailer trucks.

- The Arts District is home to many art gallery openings and live, local theater. When the following locations are directly impacted, notification is required if in conflict with a scheduled event at the Downtown Playhouse (929 E. 2nd Street 213-626-6909) and Art Share LA (801 E. 4th Place 213-687-4278).

- Productions filming near residential buildings after midnight or before 6:00am are required to notify designated representatives of the proposed activity. Contact information for building representatives will be made available on request from the community filming liaison (Jonathan Jerald 213-814-7164).

- Crew with walkie-talkies must wear headsets when filming after 12:00 am and before 6:00 am.

- Changeable Message Signs (CMS) will be required on the day(s) of filming activity that requires a full closure on the 1st, 4th and 6th Street Bridges. CalTrans/LADOT approved notification signs are sufficient and must be in place in advance of filming activity and must include the dates and times of closures.

- Cast/Crew are not permitted to park on the area streets. Off-street parking must be provided for personal vehicles.

- Generators are to be placed as far away from residential buildings as possible. Placement will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

- Production companies are required to completely remove all trash, food, cardboard boxes, etc. from the general vicinity at the end of each filming day. Production companies will be held responsible for the actions of the catering companies they employ to provide food for the cast and crew.

- Food should not be given directly to the homeless persons in the area. Production companies wishing to help the homeless should do so though one of the service providers in the downtown area.

- FilmL.A will monitor frequency and look for ways to mitigate the impacts of filming prior to placing a location off limits.

- Unless a signature survey is completed, the west side of Mateo Street between 4th Place and Palmetto Street must be kept clear of equipment, vehicles, condors and lights. This area, however, may be used for camera placement between the hours of 7:00 am and 10:00 pm only.

- When filming take place after 10:00 pm or before 7:00 am, generators are to be placed as far as possible away from residential buildings and lights are to be screened to avoid disturbing nearby residents.

- The Molino Loft buildings (500 and 530 Molino Street) and Marc Free should be notified (310-871-2652) for filming activity or parking restrictions along 4th Place between Molino and Mateo [the curve].

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- Due to the mixed use nature of the neighborhood, productions wishing to utilize space along the west side of Santa Fe Ave. between 2nd and 3rd Streets and the north side of 3rd Street from Santa Fe Avenue to west 100 feet must obtain a signature from Valerie Mitchell or designated representative (213-687-3987).

- Frequent filming in the area of Vignes and 2nd Streets along with the high demand for parking in the area requires that posted "No Parking" on Vignes Street between 1st Street and 2nd Street shall be limited to no more than 200 feet, unless alternate parking or notification are provided to a designated representative from the building.

- The area near 3rd and Traction Avenue is home to many small businesses that have greatly helped to develop the area. In order to be sensitive to these businesses it is necessary for production companies to obtain signatures from the following businesses when there are filming activities or parking on the 700 block of 3rd Street between Traction Avenue and Hewitt Street: Zip Fusion- Jason Ha (744 E. 3rd Street, 213-680-3770); Lakich Studio-Lily Lakich (704 Traction Avenue, 213-620-8641); Ay Carrumba (714 Traction Avenue, 213-620-0274); Wurstkuche Sausage Grill- Joseph Petruzulli (800 E 3rd St, 213-667-4444); Blue Dahlia (738 E 3rd St, 213 613-0621)

- Outdoor food preparation using charcoal or gas grills must be at least 100 feet away from any residential building.

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**SPECIAL CONDITIONS FOR LOCATION FILMING IN DOWNTOWN LOS ANGELES**
**(Standard Filming Requirements continue to apply where not superseded below)**

**1. DEFINITION OF TERMS**

**a. Downtown Los Angeles**, for the purposes of these conditions, shall be defined as the area North to South from the 101 Freeway to the 10 Freeway; East to West from the Los Angeles River to the 110 Freeway.

**b.** The Downtown Los Angeles Neighborhood Council boundaries (**DLANC boundaries**), for the purpose of these conditions, shall be defined as bordered on the North and East at the 101 Freeway from the 110 Freeway east to Los Angeles Street, south to 4th Street, east to Alameda Street, south to 7th Street, east to the Los Angeles River; on the South by the 10 Freeway from the 110 Freeway to the Los Angeles River; on the West by 110 Freeway from the 10 Freeway to the 101 Freeway. (This area is the same area as defined above as Downtown Los Angeles, but excludes the Little Tokyo and Arts District neighborhoods.)

**c. Residential buildings** shall be defined as any building with legal residential occupants (mixed-use, adaptive reuse, artist-in-residence (A.I.R.), SROs, residential hotels, condominiums and apartment buildings). DLANC will maintain an accurate and contemporary listing of all residential buildings showing a 100-foot radius from each building so as to identify any areas both inside and outside of that radius.

**d. The Broadway Entertainment District (aka Broadway Theatre District),** for the purposes of these Conditions, shall be defined north to south as Broadway from 3rd Street to Olympic Boulevard, and east to west from Frank Court to Lindley Place (aka St. Vincent Alley Court), or the equivalent mid-block point to either of these alleys where the alley is not present, including any theater loading facilities, defined as any public or private surface parking lot, parking garage, public street or curb area adjacent to, or utilized by, a theater. If, in the future, the City adopts an ordinance with regulations governing filming in this area, such regulations shall supersede these Filming Conditions.

**e. The Old Bank District residential overlay,** for the purposes of these Conditions, shall be defined as the area bound by South Spring St., West 5th St., West 4th St., and Werdin Pl.

**2. FILMING STANDARD HOURS AND DAYS**

**a.** Filming activity, or any production-related activity including but not limited to activities such as base camps, catering, generators, etc., within the **DLANC boundaries** is restricted to the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. within a 100-foot radius of any residential building. Filming activity in the **Broadway Entertainment District** is restricted to the hours of 6:00 a.m. to Midnight within a 50-foot radius of any residential building. **Old Bank District** is restricted to the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. within a 100-foot radius of any residential building**.** No extension of the standard filming hours for

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filming or any disruptive production-related activity shall be allowed until a signature survey has been properly submitted. Proof of signature surveys shall be made available to DLANC upon request.

**b.** No film permits may be issued along Main and Spring Streets from 2nd to 9th Streets, or on any block of 2nd through 9th Streets between Los Angeles and Spring during the Downtown Art Walk, currently held on the second Thursday of each month. Filming inside of private buildings or entirely on private property during this time is permitted so long as there are no external impacts.

**c.** No filming may be conducted in close proximity to major public events anywhere in Downtown Los Angeles as permitted by the LAPD, or identified with 30 days notice to the City's Designated Film Permit Contractor by DLANC. Film permits may be considered in light of major public events on a case-by-case basis so long as their issuance will not cause further disruption to Downtown businesses and residents during such events.

**3. RESIDENTIAL AND MERCHANT PROTECTIONS IN THE DLANC BOUNDARIES**

**a.** A film permit may include no more than 300 feet of curb lane per city block for the parking of film production vehicles, crew or equipment. Requests for additional amounts of curb lane shall require a signature survey. The **Broadway Entertainment District** is exempt from this restriction.

**b.** Production personnel (and equipment utilized by the production company) shall not block the sidewalk area in front of an open commercial business or a residential building, including residential patios, windows, doorways, or entryways, unless the production company has secured the permission of the merchant and/or property owner. Where the commercial business is one that is primarily open in the evening and nighttime hours, the production company, their cast and crew may not block the access to and signage of such establishment (as seen from the street), without permission of the merchant and/or property owner during the hours of operation of the business.

**c.** Customers, employees, residents, and guests of affected properties shall be allowed free ingress/egress to all buildings, merchants, and parking facilities. Arrangements shall be made to ensure access to deliveries, trash pickup, residential move-in/move-out, and vendor access to the properties/merchants during productions.

**d.** All commercial businesses must prominently post hours of operation and contact phone numbers, and residential buildings must have a designated contact person authorized to give permission. Special events held by commercial businesses, outside of normal business hours, must also be posted in advance, and production companies must provide full access and visibility during such events.

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**4. NOISE, FUMES, AND LIGHTING WITHIN THE DLANC BOUNDARIES**

**a.** Generators, portable toilets or toilet vehicles, and outdoor food preparation using charcoal or gas grills must be a minimum of 50 feet (horizontally) from any residential window or entrance. If it is physically impossible for a generator to be a minimum of 50 feet from residential windows or entrances, the generator shall be placed as far away as possible and vented away from residential windows and entrances. However, under no circumstances shall a generator be placed directly underneath a residential window.

**b.** Film productions must focus lighting on the filming area only and make every effort to shield the lighting from adjacent properties, pedestrians, and patrons of commercial businesses at all times. Exceptional lighting (e.g., Musco and Bebee lighting) outside of regular filming hours shall not be allowed without a signature survey of the affected merchants and/or property owners. **Signature survey shall be required for Exceptional lighting within the Old Bank District between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.** Under no circumstances shall lighting be directed onto oncoming traffic.

**c.** Film production companies are required to completely remove all trash, food, and cardboard boxes, etc. from the general vicinity at the end of each filming day. Film production companies will be held responsible for the actions of catering companies they employ to provide food for the cast and crew.

**5. SPECIAL REQUESTS AND EXCEPTIONS REVIEW AND NOTIFICATION WITHIN THE DLANC BOUNDARIES**

**a.** Helicopters shall not be granted permits for landing at non-certified helipads before and after approved filming hours. All aerial filming productions must provide upon request a copy of an approved FAA Form 7711-2, or other official waiver, along with a copy of the briefing on the flight operations for all participating persons or property.

**b.** No film permit shall be construed as a waiver of 14 CFR § 91.119, 14 CFR § 91.515(a) or 14 CFR § 91.303(e), dictating federal flight altitude regulations, for purposes of non-participating persons or property (see attachment).

**c.** Notification beyond the standard 500-foot radius will be made to affected residents and merchants for high impact activity that is likely to cause interference with adjacent properties of people such as car chases, simulated gun fire, explosions, screams for help and other loud noises, helicopter activity, road closures or other such exceptional activities that might cause a police response to the filming location. High impact filming activity must be preceded by notifications at least two days in advance. The City's Designated Film Permit Contractor or the production company shall consult a designated DLANC representative when an applicant requests a permit for high impact filming activity with less than two days notice.

**d.** Due to the location of building air intake systems on Lower Grand Avenue, no special effects, including smoke, steam or fog, may occur in that area without first obtaining

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clearance from the appropriate building contacts and maintenance engineers. Contact must be made at least 48 hours prior to the proposed effect(s).

**6. FILMING-RELATED CONGESTION WITHIN THE DLANC BOUNDARIES**

**a.** The City's Designated Film Permit Contractor will ensure that the impact from filming at recurrently used locations is minimized to the affected residents and businesses.

**b.** In rush hour restricted lanes, as designated by LADOT, no Intermittent Traffic Control (ITC) shall be permitted during Rush Hours (7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday). No simultaneous closures or ITC of both the Second and Third Street Tunnels will be permitted.

**c.** Production companies shall request the posting of "no parking" signs, lane or street closures with LADOT for the day(s) that they are "on site" only. When closures are not necessary for the day(s) requested, production companies shall report the changes to the City's Designated Film Permit Contractor, who shall notify LADOT, who must revise and/or remove parking signs, as necessary.

**d.** Production companies must provide adequate detour and directional signage when street closures are in place, conforming to current LADOT standards and practices. Detour routes must accommodate large, semi and tractor trailer trucks and public transit vehicles.

**7. ENFORCEMENT OF CONDITIONS**

a. In accordance with the terms of their work permit issued from LAPD, off-duty or retired police officers must, upon reporting to a work site, review and ensure compliance with conditions outlined on the filming permit. Officers shall ensure compliance with arrival and departure time, and shall not allow any activity or conduct that is in violation of local or state law, nor allow any filming condition that is not authorized by the permit. Variations from the requirements of the permit are not allowed unless approved by an authorized representative of the City's Designated Film Permit Contractor.

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*(Note: The following are the most current federal flight altitude regulations as of November 2007. The regulations could change at any time.)*

§ 91.119 Minimum safe altitudes: General.

Except when necessary for takeoff or landing, no person may operate an aircraft below the following altitudes:
(a) Anywhere. An altitude allowing, if a power unit fails, an emergency landing without undue hazard to persons or property on the surface.
(b) Over congested areas. Over any congested area of a city, town, or settlement, or over any open air assembly of persons, an altitude of 1,000 feet above the highest obstacle within a horizontal radius of 2,000 feet of the aircraft.
(c) Over other than congested areas. An altitude of 500 feet above the surface, except over open water or sparsely populated areas. In those cases, the aircraft may not be operated closer than 500 feet to any person, vessel, vehicle, or structure.
(d) Helicopters. Helicopters may be operated at less than the minimums prescribed in paragraph (b) or (c) of this section if the operation is conducted without hazard to persons or property on the surface. In addition, each person operating a helicopter shall comply with any routes or altitudes specifically prescribed for helicopters by the Administrator.

§ 91.515 Flight altitude rules.

(a) Notwithstanding §91.119, and except as provided in paragraph (b) of this section, no person may operate an airplane under VFR at less than—
(1) One thousand feet above the surface, or 1,000 feet from any mountain, hill, or other obstruction to flight, for day operations; and
(2) The altitudes prescribed in §91.177, for night operations.

§ 91.303 Aerobatic flight.

No person may operate an aircraft in aerobatic flight—
(a) Over any congested area of a city, town, or settlement;
(b) Over an open air assembly of persons;
(c) Within the lateral boundaries of the surface areas of Class B, Class C, Class D, or Class E airspace designated for an airport;
(d) Within 4 nautical miles of the center line of any Federal airway;
(e) Below an altitude of 1,500 feet above the surface; or
(f) When flight visibility is less than 3 statute miles.

For the purposes of this section, aerobatic flight means an intentional maneuver involving an abrupt change in an aircraft's attitude, an abnormal attitude, or abnormal acceleration, not necessary for normal flight.

[Doc. No. 18834, 54 FR 34308, Aug. 18, 1989, as amended by Amdt. 91– 227, 56 FR 65661, Dec. 17, 1991]

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**SPECIAL CONDITIONS FOR LOCATION FILMING IN DOWNTOWN LOS ANGELES**
**(Standard Filming Requirements continue to apply where not superseded below)**

**1. DEFINITION OF TERMS**

**a. Downtown Los Angeles**, for the purposes of these conditions, shall be defined as the area North to South from the 101 Freeway to the 10 Freeway; East to West from the Los Angeles River to the 110 Freeway.

**b.** The Downtown Los Angeles Neighborhood Council boundaries (**DLANC boundaries**), for the purpose of these conditions, shall be defined as bordered on the North and East at the 101 Freeway from the 110 Freeway east to Los Angeles Street, south to 4th Street, east to Alameda Street, south to 7th Street, east to the Los Angeles River; on the South by the 10 Freeway from the 110 Freeway to the Los Angeles River; on the West by 110 Freeway from the 10 Freeway to the 101 Freeway. (This area is the same area as defined above as Downtown Los Angeles, but excludes the Little Tokyo and Arts District neighborhoods.)

**c. Residential buildings** shall be defined as any building with legal residential occupants (mixed-use, adaptive reuse, artist-in-residence (A.I.R.), SROs, residential hotels, condominiums and apartment buildings). DLANC will maintain an accurate and contemporary listing of all residential buildings showing a 100-foot radius from each building so as to identify any areas both inside and outside of that radius.

**d. The Broadway Entertainment District (aka Broadway Theatre District),** for the purposes of these Conditions, shall be defined north to south as Broadway from 3rd Street to Olympic Boulevard, and east to west from Frank Court to Lindley Place (aka St. Vincent Alley Court), or the equivalent mid-block point to either of these alleys where the alley is not present, including any theater loading facilities, defined as any public or private surface parking lot, parking garage, public street or curb area adjacent to, or utilized by, a theater. If, in the future, the City adopts an ordinance with regulations governing filming in this area, such regulations shall supersede these Filming Conditions.

**e. The Old Bank District residential overlay,** for the purposes of these Conditions, shall be defined as the area bound by South Spring St., West 5th St., West 4th St., and Werdin Pl.

**2. FILMING STANDARD HOURS AND DAYS**

**a.** Filming activity, or any production-related activity including but not limited to activities such as base camps, catering, generators, etc., within the **DLANC boundaries** is restricted to the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. within a 100-foot radius of any residential building. Filming activity in the **Broadway Entertainment District** is restricted to the hours of 6:00 a.m. to Midnight within a 50-foot radius of any residential building. **Old Bank District** is restricted to the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. within a 100-foot radius of any residential building**.** No extension of the standard filming hours for

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filming or any disruptive production-related activity shall be allowed until a signature survey has been properly submitted. Proof of signature surveys shall be made available to DLANC upon request.

**b.** No film permits may be issued along Main and Spring Streets from 2nd to 9th Streets, or on any block of 2nd through 9th Streets between Los Angeles and Spring during the Downtown Art Walk, currently held on the second Thursday of each month. Filming inside of private buildings or entirely on private property during this time is permitted so long as there are no external impacts.

**c.** No filming may be conducted in close proximity to major public events anywhere in Downtown Los Angeles as permitted by the LAPD, or identified with 30 days notice to the City's Designated Film Permit Contractor by DLANC. Film permits may be considered in light of major public events on a case-by-case basis so long as their issuance will not cause further disruption to Downtown businesses and residents during such events.

**3. RESIDENTIAL AND MERCHANT PROTECTIONS IN THE DLANC BOUNDARIES**

**a.** A film permit may include no more than 300 feet of curb lane per city block for the parking of film production vehicles, crew or equipment. Requests for additional amounts of curb lane shall require a signature survey. The **Broadway Entertainment District** is exempt from this restriction.

**b.** Production personnel (and equipment utilized by the production company) shall not block the sidewalk area in front of an open commercial business or a residential building, including residential patios, windows, doorways, or entryways, unless the production company has secured the permission of the merchant and/or property owner. Where the commercial business is one that is primarily open in the evening and nighttime hours, the production company, their cast and crew may not block the access to and signage of such establishment (as seen from the street), without permission of the merchant and/or property owner during the hours of operation of the business.

**c.** Customers, employees, residents, and guests of affected properties shall be allowed free ingress/egress to all buildings, merchants, and parking facilities. Arrangements shall be made to ensure access to deliveries, trash pickup, residential move-in/move-out, and vendor access to the properties/merchants during productions.

**d.** All commercial businesses must prominently post hours of operation and contact phone numbers, and residential buildings must have a designated contact person authorized to give permission. Special events held by commercial businesses, outside of normal business hours, must also be posted in advance, and production companies must provide full access and visibility during such events.

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**4. NOISE, FUMES, AND LIGHTING WITHIN THE DLANC BOUNDARIES**

**a.** Generators, portable toilets or toilet vehicles, and outdoor food preparation using charcoal or gas grills must be a minimum of 50 feet (horizontally) from any residential window or entrance. If it is physically impossible for a generator to be a minimum of 50 feet from residential windows or entrances, the generator shall be placed as far away as possible and vented away from residential windows and entrances. However, under no circumstances shall a generator be placed directly underneath a residential window.

**b.** Film productions must focus lighting on the filming area only and make every effort to shield the lighting from adjacent properties, pedestrians, and patrons of commercial businesses at all times. Exceptional lighting (e.g., Musco and Bebee lighting) outside of regular filming hours shall not be allowed without a signature survey of the affected merchants and/or property owners. **Signature survey shall be required for Exceptional lighting within the Old Bank District between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.** Under no circumstances shall lighting be directed onto oncoming traffic.

**c.** Film production companies are required to completely remove all trash, food, and cardboard boxes, etc. from the general vicinity at the end of each filming day. Film production companies will be held responsible for the actions of catering companies they employ to provide food for the cast and crew.

**5. SPECIAL REQUESTS AND EXCEPTIONS REVIEW AND NOTIFICATION WITHIN THE DLANC BOUNDARIES**

**a.** Helicopters shall not be granted permits for landing at non-certified helipads before and after approved filming hours. All aerial filming productions must provide upon request a copy of an approved FAA Form 7711-2, or other official waiver, along with a copy of the briefing on the flight operations for all participating persons or property.

**b.** No film permit shall be construed as a waiver of 14 CFR § 91.119, 14 CFR § 91.515(a) or 14 CFR § 91.303(e), dictating federal flight altitude regulations, for purposes of non-participating persons or property (see attachment).

**c.** Notification beyond the standard 500-foot radius will be made to affected residents and merchants for high impact activity that is likely to cause interference with adjacent properties of people such as car chases, simulated gun fire, explosions, screams for help and other loud noises, helicopter activity, road closures or other such exceptional activities that might cause a police response to the filming location. High impact filming activity must be preceded by notifications at least two days in advance. The City's Designated Film Permit Contractor or the production company shall consult a designated DLANC representative when an applicant requests a permit for high impact filming activity with less than two days notice.

**d.** Due to the location of building air intake systems on Lower Grand Avenue, no special effects, including smoke, steam or fog, may occur in that area without first obtaining

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clearance from the appropriate building contacts and maintenance engineers. Contact must be made at least 48 hours prior to the proposed effect(s).

**6. FILMING-RELATED CONGESTION WITHIN THE DLANC BOUNDARIES**

**a.** The City's Designated Film Permit Contractor will ensure that the impact from filming at recurrently used locations is minimized to the affected residents and businesses.

**b.** In rush hour restricted lanes, as designated by LADOT, no Intermittent Traffic Control (ITC) shall be permitted during Rush Hours (7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday). No simultaneous closures or ITC of both the Second and Third Street Tunnels will be permitted.

**c.** Production companies shall request the posting of "no parking" signs, lane or street closures with LADOT for the day(s) that they are "on site" only. When closures are not necessary for the day(s) requested, production companies shall report the changes to the City's Designated Film Permit Contractor, who shall notify LADOT, who must revise and/or remove parking signs, as necessary.

**d.** Production companies must provide adequate detour and directional signage when street closures are in place, conforming to current LADOT standards and practices. Detour routes must accommodate large, semi and tractor trailer trucks and public transit vehicles.

**7. ENFORCEMENT OF CONDITIONS**

a. In accordance with the terms of their work permit issued from LAPD, off-duty or retired police officers must, upon reporting to a work site, review and ensure compliance with conditions outlined on the filming permit. Officers shall ensure compliance with arrival and departure time, and shall not allow any activity or conduct that is in violation of local or state law, nor allow any filming condition that is not authorized by the permit. Variations from the requirements of the permit are not allowed unless approved by an authorized representative of the City's Designated Film Permit Contractor.

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**ATTACHMENT**

*(Note: The following are the most current federal flight altitude regulations as of November 2007. The regulations could change at any time.)*

§ 91.119 Minimum safe altitudes: General.

Except when necessary for takeoff or landing, no person may operate an aircraft below the following altitudes:
(a) Anywhere. An altitude allowing, if a power unit fails, an emergency landing without undue hazard to persons or property on the surface.
(b) Over congested areas. Over any congested area of a city, town, or settlement, or over any open air assembly of persons, an altitude of 1,000 feet above the highest obstacle within a horizontal radius of 2,000 feet of the aircraft.
(c) Over other than congested areas. An altitude of 500 feet above the surface, except over open water or sparsely populated areas. In those cases, the aircraft may not be operated closer than 500 feet to any person, vessel, vehicle, or structure.
(d) Helicopters. Helicopters may be operated at less than the minimums prescribed in paragraph (b) or (c) of this section if the operation is conducted without hazard to persons or property on the surface. In addition, each person operating a helicopter shall comply with any routes or altitudes specifically prescribed for helicopters by the Administrator.

§ 91.515 Flight altitude rules.

(a) Notwithstanding §91.119, and except as provided in paragraph (b) of this section, no person may operate an airplane under VFR at less than—
(1) One thousand feet above the surface, or 1,000 feet from any mountain, hill, or other obstruction to flight, for day operations; and
(2) The altitudes prescribed in §91.177, for night operations.

§ 91.303 Aerobatic flight.

No person may operate an aircraft in aerobatic flight—
(a) Over any congested area of a city, town, or settlement;
(b) Over an open air assembly of persons;
(c) Within the lateral boundaries of the surface areas of Class B, Class C, Class D, or Class E airspace designated for an airport;
(d) Within 4 nautical miles of the center line of any Federal airway;
(e) Below an altitude of 1,500 feet above the surface; or
(f) When flight visibility is less than 3 statute miles.

For the purposes of this section, aerobatic flight means an intentional maneuver involving an abrupt change in an aircraft's attitude, an abnormal attitude, or abnormal acceleration, not necessary for normal flight.

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# SPECIAL FILMING CONDITIONS
# ECHO PARK & ELYSIAN PARK

*The Special Filming Conditions described below will be included in the terms and conditions of permits issued for filming in this area and are in addition to the standard terms and conditions applicable to filming permits generally. The decision whether or not a particular permit will be issued is vested in the discretion of the appropriate City or County department or their designees (including FilmL.A.), to be exercised consistent with public health, safety and general welfare, and applicable land-use ordinances.*

Echo Park is a community that includes historic Echo Park Lake and the Recreation Center, a vibrant retail commercial district, and historic Elysian Park, the oldest regional park in the city. These Special Conditions apply to the area between Echo Park Avenue, the Hollywood (101) freeway, Alvarado Boulevard North to Glendale Boulevard, Glendale Boulevard, Allesandro Street, Riverside Drive, the Recreation and Parks (RAP) boundary west of Stadium Way, Elysian Park Avenue, and Sunset Boulevard back to Echo Park Avenue. The district includes Boylston Street but excludes Elysian Park and Echo Park Lake recreation facilities and park land. Over the past several years, location filming in Echo Park has increased significantly without a system for adequately addressing the impacts this brings to the community.

The motion picture industry has amicably co-existed with the businesses and residents of this area since the silent film era and desires to continue to do so. These conditions are designed to promote cooperation between film companies, local businesses and residents so that each group can effectively utilize this diverse area. Violation of any of the conditions outlined below may result in permit revocation or other administrative action.

The community of Echo Park is home to many regularly scheduled local events: Farmers Market every Friday from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., Lotus Festival the second weekend in July, the Cuban Festival, the Echo Park Music Festival, the December Community Parade, the El Centro del Pueblo Street Festival, and the Los Angeles, ½ Marathon. A community event's calendar shall be established. Approving permits that conflict with any of these events is strongly discouraged.

1. FilmL.A. shall consult the City Council Office when an applicant requests a permit with less than three (3) days notice.

2. Affected residents/merchants/businesses must be notified in English and Spanish at least two (2) days in advance of the first day of filming or in advance of any substantial preparation for all productions.

3. The following activities require extended notification to the affected community at least three (3) days prior to the work:

    - Use of a helicopter
    - Use of pyrotechnics
    - Gunfire (except for the use of Non-guns, which is highly encouraged).

    The production company must notify the local LAPD division on the day of filming prior to the use of any of the above.

4. A community survey is required for Exceptional Filming Activities, which include:

    - Full Street closures
    - Any filming prior to 7:00 a.m. or after 10:00 p.m.
    - Filming for more than three (3) consecutive days at any single location or multiple locations where there is an overlap of the affected residents and merchants.

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FilmL.A. will consult with the City Council Office, the LAFD, and the LAPD on a case by case basis to determine the noise levels, safety requirements, and appropriate personnel assignments. A FilmL.A. monitor will be assigned to permits with Exceptional Filming Activities.

5. The downtown Echo Park area is home to many institutions and businesses that have contributed greatly to the improvement of the neighborhood. When requesting partial or full street closures, or posted no parking, production companies must conduct a community survey of affected properties on the following blocks: 1600, 1700, 1800, 1900 blocks of Sunset Boulevard, 1100 block of Glendale Boulevard, 1100 block of Lemoyne Street, 1100 block of Logan Street, 1100 block of Echo Park Avenue. The following public streets have also been heavily impacted by filming over the years: Park Drive, Bellevue Avenue, Stadium Way, Academy Road, Morton Avenue, and Alvarado Street. FilmL.A. and the appropriate city council office will monitor frequency of filming on these streets and all others, within the Echo Park Film District. FilmL.A. will look for ways to mitigate the impacts of filming prior to issuing a permit and utilize the community calendar as a reference.

6. Requests for the posting of "No Parking" for production equipment and/or filming will be reviewed by FilmL.A. with the intention of mitigating parking concerns for residents, merchants, and patrons in the area, with special attention given to the frequently filmed streets. The parking of production vehicles on public streets may not exceed 500 linear feet combined, but can be dedicated to one side of the street or, where appropriate street width allows, split between both sides of a street. Requests for more than 500 linear feet of parking shall require a signature survey of those affected by the proposed additional parking. Upon completion of filming, companies are requested, as a courtesy, to turn all "No Parking" signs around so that they face in the opposite direction. Only the Los Angeles Department of Transportation (DOT) is to post and remove the signs.

7. Generators are to be placed in an acceptable location within all affected residential and commercial areas. Support by all addresses within 50 linear feet of the generator is required. Alternative fuels (such as bio-diesel) and low emission generators are strongly encouraged.

8. Parking of production vehicles shall not impede, block from view, nor interfere in any way with public transit stops throughout the Echo & Elysian Park areas. Should any transit stop or schedule be altered for a film shoot, only the Metropolitan Transit Authority (MTA) or DOT is authorized to make that determination.

9. The following areas are prohibited from use: City Parking lots 662, 663, and 646, and either side of Academy Road between Morton Avenue and Elysian Park Drive.

10. All productions must coordinate with FilmL.A. to secure relaxed enforcement of parking from DOT, either side of any street that has posted street cleaning or any production shoot that takes place in a permitted overnight parking district (OPD). They must also be mindful of other existing parking restrictions including Preferential Parking Districts and Parking Meter Districts while planning their location shoot. They must then notify all residents in English and Spanish, that there will be relaxed enforcement by the Department of Transportation.

11. Cast/Crew is not permitted to park on area streets. Off street parking must be provided for personal vehicles.

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12. Only Honey Wagon type portable restrooms or executive portable rest rooms are allowed in the District, and must be at least 100 feet away from any food establishments, in a mutually acceptable location of all other commercial and residential buildings.

13. Companies must provide adequate detour and directional signage when street closures are in place, and conform to all current DOT standards and practices. Changeable Message Signs (CMS) will be required on the day(s) of filming activity that requires a full closure on any major thoroughfare, as defined by DOT. Sufficient, approved notification signs are sufficient and must be in place in advance of filming activity and must include the dates and times of closures. Street closures are considered an Exceptional Filming Activity and require a FilmL.A. monitor.

14. FilmL.A. will coordinate with Public Works to ensure that no regularly scheduled service will be interrupted including, trash pick up, tree trimming, street repair, street cleaning, etc.

15. FilmL.A. shall work closely with the Dodgers regarding all filming in and around the Echo Park, Elysian Valley, or Chinatown communities during the period of March 25 through November 5 (Dodger season).

16. Crews with walkie-talkies must wear headsets when filming within the District between 7:00 p.m. – 7:00 a.m.

17. Outdoor food preparation using charcoal or gas grills must be utilized out of public view to all adjacent residential buildings or homes and commercial properties.

18. Production companies are required to remove all self generated trash, food, and cardboard boxes, from the general vicinity at the end of each filming day. This includes any debris generated by catering companies employed to provide food for the cast and crew. Any surplus food can only be given to off-site charitable organizations.

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